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Honorable Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Sir:

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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application in the name of:

Young Shik KANG of Daejon-Shi, Republic of Korea; Je Ha KIM of Daejon-Shi, Republic of Korea; Ji Youn LIM of Daejon-Shi, Republic of Korea; and Sung Bock KIM of Daejon-Shi, Republic of Korea,

for ELECTRO-ABSORPTION OPTICAL MODULATOR HAVING MULTIPLE QUANTUM WELL. The application comprises a 26-page specification including 6 claims (1 independent) and Abstract, 8 sheets of drawings (Figs. 1A-8B), and a Declaration and Power of Attorney.

The above-mentioned applicants qualify for small entity status.

Also accompanying this application for filing is:

- Assignment document, cover sheet and \$40.00 fee for recordation of (1) Assignment;
- Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 and copies of (2) references; and
- (3) A certified copy of Korean Application No. 2003-67338, filed September 29, 2003, the priority of which is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.

The filing fee has been calculated as shown:

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TOTAL FILING FEE:

Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038) in the amount of \$425.00 is enclosed to cover the Total Filing Fee and Assignment Recordation Fee. Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees set forth in Sections 1.16 or 1.17 during the pendency of this application, or credit any overpayment, to deposit Account No. 06-1358. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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